

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A universal user roaming method, comprising:

providing a computer program having a first set of program code executable on a first WIN32-based operating system and a second set of program code executable on a second non WIN32-based operating system for a handheld device;

setting the first set of program code and the second set of program code to read and write from a common datastore; and

storing the first set of program code, the second set of program code and the common datastore on a removable storage medium that is accessible to only one of the operating systems at any one time,

wherein the first set of program code and the second set of program code provide the operating systems functionality to perform common operations on the common datastore.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the first operating system is an operating system for a computer system selected from the group consisting of a desktop and a laptop.

3-5. (Canceled)..

6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the removable storage medium is selected from the

group consisting of a SD-RAM card, a microdrive, a ZIP drive and a read-writeable compact disc.

7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [[5]] 6, wherein the SD-RAM interfaces with a computer system via a USB adapter.

8. (Currently Amended) A universal user roaming method, comprising:

providing a computer program having a first set of program code executable on a WIN32-based operating system and a second set of program code executable on a handheld device-based operating system;

setting the first set of program code and the second set of program code to read and write from a common datastore; and

storing the first set of program code, the second set of program code and the common datastore on a removable storage medium that is accessible to only one of the operating systems at any one time,

wherein the first set of program code and the second set of program code provide the operating systems functionality to perform common operations on the common datastore.

9. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the WIN32-based operating system is for a computer system selected from the group consisting of a desktop and a laptop.

10. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the first set of program code and the second set of

program code are provided within a common directory.

11. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the removable storage medium is selected from the group consisting of a SD-RAM card, a microdrive, a ZIP drive and a read-writeable compact disc.

12. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein the SD-RAM card interfaces with a computer system via a USB adapter.

13-26. (Canceled).